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TITLE OF INVENTION: BROADCAST DISTRIBUTION USING LOW-LEVEL OBJECTS AND LOCATOR TABLES

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(application filed after June 7, 1995 but prior to May 29, 2000)

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| <b>Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary</b>   | <b>Application No.</b>   | <b>Applicant(s)</b> |  |
|   | 09/500,698   | BULKOWSKI, BRIAN    |  |
|   | <b>Examiner</b>  | <b>Art Unit</b>     |  |
| KRISTIE D. SHINGLES   | 2141   |                     |  |
| <b>All Participants:</b>  | <b>Status of Application:</b> <u>ALLOWED</u>   |                     |  |
| (1) KRISTIE D. SHINGLES, Examiner.  | (3) _____.   |                     |  |
| (2) Gregory Bernabeo, Atty.   | (4) _____.   |                     |  |
| <b>Date of Interview:</b> <u>1 August 2008</u>  | <b>Time:</b> <u>4:30pm</u>   |                     |  |
| <b>Type of Interview:</b>   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic<br><input type="checkbox"/> Video Conference<br><input type="checkbox"/> Personal (Copy given to: <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant's representative) |                     |  |
| Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No   | If Yes, provide a brief description: .   |                     |  |
| <b>Part I.</b>  |  |                     |  |
| Rejection(s) discussed:   |  |                     |  |
| 101 rejection   |  |                     |  |
| Claims discussed:   |  |                     |  |
| 1, 22 and 31  |  |                     |  |
| Prior art documents discussed:  |  |                     |  |
| <b>Part II.</b>   |  |                     |  |
| SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:   |  |                     |  |
| See Continuation Sheet  |  |                     |  |
| <b>Part III.</b>  |  |                     |  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.<br><input type="checkbox"/> It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above. |  |                     |  |
| /Kristie D Shingles/<br>Examiner, Art Unit 2141   | (Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)  |                     |  |

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: Upon Primary's approval, Examiner contacted Atty to request authorization for an Examiner's Amendment to add corrective claim language to independent claims 1, 22 and 31 for compliance with the 101 requirement wherein the apparatus/hardware that performs the method steps must be identified in the claim language. Atty suggested and authorized corrective claim language to overcome the possible 101 rejection and the claims were amended accordingly.